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Subj: MARINE CORPS COMMUNITY SERVICES (MCCS) SUMMER TEMPERATURE POLICIES

1. Purpose. To announce the MCCS indoor/outdoor guidelines for MCCS's activities used by patrons during summer heat conditions aboard Base.

2. Action. Unit Commanders, Chiefs of Staff, and Directors are requested to review and pass-on to their personnel the following announced indoor/outdoor summer temperature policy.

a. Outdoor Activities. During black flag conditions, all outdoor MCCS activities will be suspended with the exception of the aquatic activities, golfing activity, parks and recreation and all other outdoor sedentary/passive physical activity.

b. Stables. The stables will be open for the patrons to provide care for their animals only. Riding will be suspended.

c. Indoor Activities

(1) Fitness Facilities & Gymnasium - in those activities under direct control of MCCS, once the indoor temperature reaches 90 degrees, the management and/or recreation aides will be required to check the indoor temperature on an hourly basis. Signs will be posted that caution is exercised and activity managers will ensure additional water is available to patrons.

(2) Larson Gymnasium has been divided into six functional areas.

(a) Zone 1a Fitness Deck, Cardio Theatre.  
Zone 1b Fitness Deck, select rise equipment.

(b) Zone 2 Free Weight Room.

(c) Zone 3 Racquetball Courts.

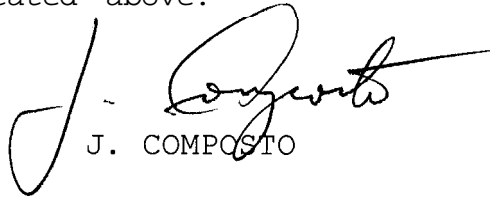
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(d) Zone 4 Reving Room.

(e) Zone 5 Basketball Courts

(3) When the indoor temperature in any zoned area reaches 95 degrees, that area of Larson Gymnasium will be closed. Once the determination is made that Larson's Gymnasium will close, the MCCDC LAN Manager will be contacted to post notice on the MCCDC LAN Base-wide. The gym will resume activities when the indoor temperature goes below 95 degrees. Locker rooms will remain open to support the shower needs of customers.

d. Satellite Fitness Facilities. Satellite fitness facilities are under the cognizance of the local area commanders. Commanders are requested to ensure that all areas are in compliance with the policies stated above.



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